



Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
Art Unit 3713 Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

MASAO OKADA ET AL.

Application No.: 09/537,288

Filed: March 29, 2000

For: ANIMATION DISPLAY
APPARATUS, ARCADE
GAME MACHINE, CONTROL
METHOD AND APPARATUS
THEREOF, AND STORAGE
MEDIUM

Examiner: John M. Hotaling

Group Art Unit: 3713

March 14, 2005

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 14, 2004, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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